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GREEN VIEW

ALL SAINTS & WOODLOES

BI-MONTHLY NEWS AND VIEWS

THURSDAY 1st MAY

Cllr Sam Jones

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VOTE: SAM JONES

Sam WINS the February By-Election. Inside: A Message to YOU!

UNSPENT: OVER £100,000 GONE MISSING?

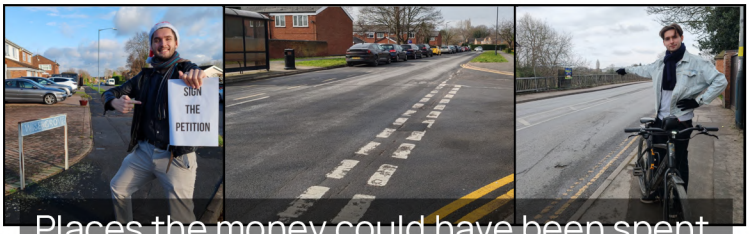
County Councillors were given £135,000 to spend on local transport projects over their 4-year terms. Greens spent theirs on dropped kerbs, cycle routes, road crossings and more.

Newly elected District Councillor, **Sam Jones**, made a Freedom Of Information Act ("FOIA") request in February to ask how our County Councillor (Labour) spent their budget in Warwick North. The response stated that **just £6,363.19 had been invested in our area**, a further £7,613.43 had been expensed to 'admin fees' and no further investment is scheduled to take place before the May election.

The FOIA response stated the **Labour** councillor: ***"currently has a remaining budget of £116,454 with no schemes proposed or committed"***.

Cllr Sam Jones said:

*"If elected in May, I'll do all I can to ensure this unspent cash isn't lost, **and give residents the chance to decide how it gets spent**."*



Places the money could have been spent.

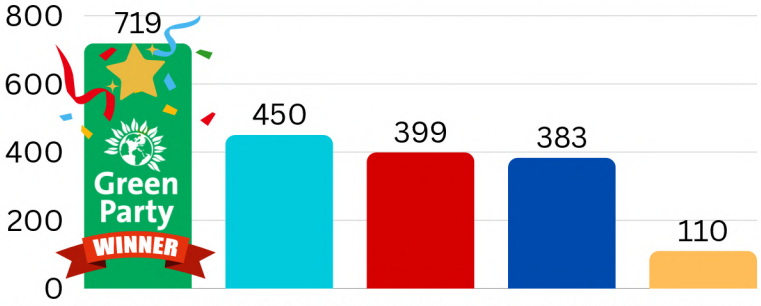
Dear All Saints & Woodloes,

You've elected me to be your district councillor. Call it novel, but I truly want to do right by you - that's what politics should be about. Not greed or prestige, just service. I can't express in words how grateful I am for the opportunity you're giving me, so I'll repay you with action; by doing my best to bring positive changes to our part of Warwick.

Yours,
Cllr Sam Jones

THANK YOU! - Cllr Sam Jones

BY-ELECTION: 13 FEB 2025



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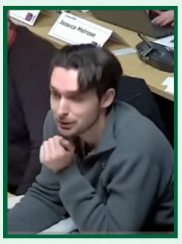
VOTE FOR A WINNER ON MAY 1ST in the COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTIONS

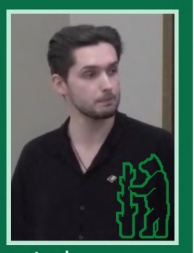
SAM JONES WORKS HARD FOR OUR AREA ALL YEAR ROUND

GREENS ACHIEVING FOR YOU ON THE DISTRICT COUNCIL



- **Soft plastics kerb-side recycling** - first in UK
- **Extra fly-tipping collection** and enforcement
- More funding for Community Wardens to **tackle anti-social behaviour**
- **Listened** on how to improve **No Mow May**
- Worked to **plug the £2.5m hole** in the budget
- Insulation for 2,500 leaky **council homes**
- Fought for **St Nick's paddling pool** refurb

WHAT SAM WILL PUSH FOR ON THE COUNTY COUNCIL



Give YOU a say on allocating the unspent Delegated Highways Budget.
You should decide where your Council Tax gets invested.

Fund Youth Services & Sexual Abuse support.
Chronic under-investment in our communities has to end.

Complete review of all highways projects.
WCC must get the basics right on safe walking & cycling.

Take back control of local bus services.
Let people, not profit, decide routes & how often buses come.

DATES TO STICK ON THE FRIDGE

Litter Picks: meet at...
Emscote School, Sunday 23 March - 11am
Woodloes School, Sunday 13 April - 11am

Meet your Green County Council Candidate
The Elephant & Castle, Wednesday 9 April - 7-9pm
The Woodloes Tavern, Thursday 24 April - 7-9pm

Councillor Achievements

In his first weeks as Councillor, Sam has...

1. Reported 5 blocked drains and a faulty streetlight.
2. Written to Warwick Hospital to discuss Woodloes' parking problems.
3. Spoken up for residents about No Mow May and our hedge trimming schedule.

"You deserve a councillor who listens and works hard for you all year round, not just at elections. Elect me on 1st May and I will not let you down."

CLLR SAM JONES

Your Green Party Candidate

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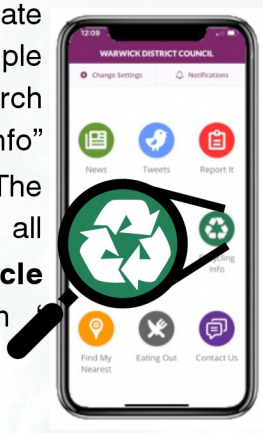
Cllr Sam Jones with Green Party Leader, **Carla Denyer MP**

FEB '25:

1ST
2nd
3rd
4th

WDC App: Recycle & Give To Charity

Warwick District Council will donate 10p to Myton Hospice and Multiple System Atrophy Trust for every search you make in the "Recycling Info" section of the **Warwick DC app**. The app helps you better understand all the **new packaging you can recycle** in your blue-lidded bin, which got an upgrade in 2024 under the Green-led joint administration at WDC.



HAVE YOUR SAY ON THURSDAY 1st MAY

Would You Rather Have:

The Same Old Bickering...

...Or A Green Who Listens?

IT'S TIME FOR A NEW AND IMPROVED COUNTY COUNCIL

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